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## SYNONYMS.

"Things which are equal to the same thing, are equal to each other."—*Axiom No. 1, p. 19 Davies' Legendre, Edition 1860.*

Few physicians know that many of the "new remedies" marketed under fanciful trade names are identical with remedies having dissimilar names, or are old preparations which have been given fancy names in order to create a false market for the thing in question. For the benefit of physicians and pharmacists the following table has been compiled and will be added to as the requisite information is obtained. The information is secured from chemists and from medical and pharmaceutical journals, and is correct in the main. Should any errors creep in they will be corrected as soon as detected. *Until sufficient evidence to the contrary is forthcoming, it must be assumed that there is no question of substitution involved when the pharmacist supplies a given article under any one of its synonymous names.*

<b>Adeps lane hydrosus</b> .....	{ Anasalpin Lanolin Lanum
<b>Argentum Colloidale</b> .....	{ Argentum Crede Collargol Colloidal silver
<b>Beta-naphthol benzoate</b> .....	{ Benzo-naphthol Benzoyl-beta-naphthol
<b>Beta-naphthol Salicylate</b> ....	{ Betol Naphthalol Naphthosalol Salinaptol
<b>Bromacetanilid</b> .....	{ Antiseptin Asepsin
<b>Bismuth-iodo-subgallate</b> ....	{ Airol Airogen Airoform
<b>Calcium beta-naphthol sulphonate</b> .....	{ Abrastol Asaprol
<b>Creosote Tannate</b> .....	{ Creosal Tannosal
<b>Dimethyl - ethyl - carbinol chloral</b> .....	{ Dormiol Amylene-chloral
<b>Dithymol Dilodid</b> .....	{ Aristol Annidalin Di Thymol Iodid Di Iodo Dithymol (And several other similar names.)
<b>Ethyl chlorid</b> .....	{ Antidolorin Ethylol Kelene Mono-chlor-ethane
<b>Hexamethylene-tetramine</b> ...	{ Aminoform Ammoni o-formaldehyde Cystamine Cystogen Formin Saliformin Urotropin
<b>"", anhydromethylen citrate</b> ..	Helmitol
<b>Levulose</b> .....	{ Diabetin Fructose Fruit Sugar
<b>Ortho - ethoxy - ana - mono - benzoyl-amido-chinolin</b> ....	{ *Benzanalgene *Analgen *Quinalgen
<b>Paraphenetin carbamid</b> .....	{ Dulcin Sucrol

<b>Phenyl-dimethyl-parazonol</b> .. (Germ. Pharm.)	{ Analgesin Anodynin Antipyrin Dimethyloxy-quinizin Methozan Phenazon (B. P.) Phenylon Pyrazin Pyrazolin Parodyn Salazolon Sedatin
<b>Phenylacetamide</b> .....	{ Acetanilid Antifebrin (And several hundreds of trade names for headache powders, etc.)
<b>Phenylmethyl-ketone</b> .....	{ Acetophenone Hypnone
<b>Plant pepsin</b> .....	{ Papain Papoid Papayotin Caroid
<b>Salicylic acid ester of quinine</b> .....	{ Salochinin Saloquinin
<b>Salicylate of Salochinin</b> ....	Rheumatin
<b>Sodium sulpho-cafeate</b> .....	{ Nasrol Symphoral
<b>Thyroid gland, dried lactose trituration</b> .....	{ Iodothyrene Thyroidin
<b>Trioxymethylen</b> .....	{ Paraformaldehyde Paraform Triformol
<b>Abrin</b> = Jequiritin	
<b>Acetyl-salicylic acid</b> = Aspirin	
<b>Aluminum aceto-tartrate</b> = Alsol	
<b>Australian oil Eucalyptus</b> = Flucol	
<b>Bismuth chrysophanat</b> = Dermal	
<b>Bismuth phosphate (soluble)</b> = Bisol	
<b>Bismuth pyrogallate</b> = Helcosol	
<b>Bismuth subgallate</b> = Dermatol	
<b>Bismuth beta-naphtholate</b> = Orphol	
<b>Calcium permanganate</b> = Acerdol	
<b>Calcium salicylate</b> = Colchicin	
<b>Catarin hydrochlorid</b> = Stypticin	
<b>Chloreton, 1% solution</b> = Aneson	
<b>Creosote carbonat</b> = Creosotal	
<b>Diethylen-diamin</b> = Piperazin	
<b>Dimethyl-xanthine</b> = Theobromine	
<b>Guaiacol carbonate</b> = Duotal	
<b>Laricinic Acid</b> = Agaricin	
<b>Magnesium dioxid</b> = Biogen	
<b>Oxyquinaseptol</b> = Diaphtherin	
<b>Phenyl-ethyl urethan</b> = Euphorin	
<b>Saccharin</b> = Garantose	
<b>Subgallate of bismuth</b> = Dermatol	
<b>Sodium chlorate</b> = Oxychlorine	
<b>Sodium beta-naphtholate</b> = Microcidin	
<b>Tang-Kui, Fl. extract</b> = Eumenol	
<b>Trichloroacetic acid, 50% solution</b> = Acetocaustic	

\*Must be very cautiously used, if at all, for the physiologic action is not fully known, and this chemical is said to have very serious effect upon the heart and nervous system.